

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH**

**ABSTRACT**

Public Services –Horticulture –Ad-hoc Promotion to the post of Additional Director of Horticulture in respect of Sri C.Sri Venkateswara Rao, Joint Director of Horticulture for the Panel Year 2012-13 by invoking Rule 10[a] of AP State and Subordinate Service Rules, 1996 in the feeder category of Joint Director of Horticulture- Orders-Issued.

**AGRICULTURE AND COOPERATION (HORTI) DEPARTMENT**

**G.O.Rt.No. 993**

**Date: 26<sup>th</sup> July, 2013**

**Read the following:-**

1. G.O.Ms.No.776 Agriculture and Cooperation (HORTI) Department  
Dated:15.09.1989.
2. From the Commissioner of Horticulture, Hyderabad Letter No.Estt.I  
(1) 201/2011 Dated:30.08.2011.

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**ORDER:**

The Commissioner of Horticulture, Hyderabad in his letter 2<sup>nd</sup> read above has stated that the Department of Horticulture is implementing various flag ship programmes like Oil Palm Development Programme, RKVY, APMIP, SHM and State Plan. In addition to the above, the Department of Horticulture is also implementing NREGS-Horticulture in convergence with Rural Development Department, Andhra Pradesh Micro Irrigation Project (APMIP), State Horticulture Mission (SHM), which needs close monitoring at State Head quarters level for the successful and timely implementation of flag ship programmes, for the benefit of farmers. The cadre strength of Additional Director of Horticulture is 3 ( existing 2 + 1(newly sanctioned under part of strengthening Department of Horticulture) ).The above said 3 posts of Additional Directors of Horticulture has fallen vacant since 3 years. Therefore, the Commissioner of Horticulture, Hyderabad has requested the Government to post Sri C.Sri Venkateswara Rao as against the existing vacant post of Additional Director of Horticulture.

**2.** In the G.O. 1<sup>st</sup> read above, Special Rules for the Post of Additional Director of Horticulture were issued among other posts. According to Rule-7 of Andhra Pradesh Horticulture Service Rules “ no person shall be eligible for appointment by transfer or promotion unless he has put in not less than (3) years of service in the category from which promotion or appointment by transfer is made.

**3.** After careful examination of the issue, Instead of agreeing the proposal of Commissioner of Horticulture vide reference 2<sup>nd</sup> read above, hereby Government invoke Rule-10(a) of Andhra Pradesh State and Subordinate Service Rules, 1996 in favour of Sri C.Sri Venkateswara Rao, Joint Director of Horticulture so as to render as eligible for consideration of ad-hoc promotion as Additional Director of Horticulture for the Panel Year 2012-13, as he has not completed minimum service of 3 years as per G.O.1<sup>st</sup> read above in the category of Joint Director of Horticulture as on 01.09.2012, subject to commencement of probation in the promoted post after completion of minimum service in the feeder category as per instruction issued in Memo.No.53975/Ser.D/2000-3 G.A.(Ser.D) Department Dated:09.01.2001 read with Cir.Memo.No.28085/Ser.D/2011 Dated:20.10.2011.

**4.** The Commissioner of Horticulture, Hyderabad is requested to take further necessary action accordingly.

**(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)**

**Dr. C V S K SARMA**

**APC & SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To  
The Commissioner of Horticulture, Hyderabad.  
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General Administration [GPM & AR] Department.  
PS to Minister [Horticulture & Sericulture].  
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**SECTION OFFICER**